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PATENT APPLICATION RP

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Viktor MAGDOLEN et al.

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For: SELECTIVE INHIBITORS OF THE UROKINASE PLASMINOGEN ACTIVATOR

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

February 25, 2002

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fees and initial examination of the application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Before Line 1, page 1 insert

-CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

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This application is a National Stage entry of International Application No. PCT/EP00/08234, filed August 23, 2000, the entire specification claims and drawings of which are incorporated herewith by reference

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-14 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please add claims 15-26 as follows: